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Sir:

In regard to the Final Office Action dated February 22, 2007, it is respectfully requested that the rejections be reconsidered. The Office Action was a final rejection of Claims 1-27, 30 and 34-58 of the subject application. However, the application is believed to be in condition for allowance because these claims are novel and nonobvious over the cited art. The justifications for this belief are presented below. As such, the applicants hereby respectfully request further examination and reconsideration of the subject application.